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Applicant: Jlang, et al. Art Unit: 1725
Serial No.: 10/714,193 Examiner: Lynne Renee Edmondson
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Docket No.: A364-USA
For: MANUFACTURING METHOD FOR A CERAMIC TO METAL SEAL

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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of May 31, 2005 please amend the above-identified application as follows:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS (REMARKS/ARGUMENTS)

Claims 1-20 are pending in the application.

Claims 19 and 20 are allowed.

Claims 1-2 and 8-15 are rejected.

Claims 3-7 and 16-18 are objected to.